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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

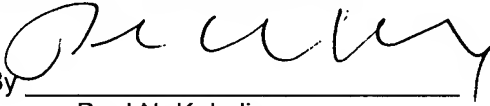
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 2, 2007, the applicants elect the Group I claims, i.e. claims 1-9 and 12-13. The non-elected claims are being retained for the time being. However, the Examiner has the applicants' permission to cancel the non-elected claims pursuant to allowance of the elected claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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